

57 Springfield, June 8, 1878.
Dear friend:

Your two letters were duly received. The first I had shown to Mr. Burleigh's two sons, Chas. & Edward, and to their uncle, Lucien Burleigh, and I know your heartfelt sympathy, so touchingly expressed, was very gratefully received.

I saw this morning, Dr. Knowlton, of Northampton, who told me, he called at Mr. Burleigh's yesterday and found him in as comfortable condition, as the day before. The Doctor told him he was glad to see him getting better; and Mr. B. looked up with a pleasant face, showing that he was pleased. The Doctor then said to him: "You had a severe blow." Mr. B. replied: "So they tell me - but I have no recollection of it!" Dr. K. also informed me that Mr. B.

eats well, and sleeps well. His pulse is good, and he shows considerable strength. If he escapes serious inflammation, ^{he} may survive. But the Doctor, I found was not able to feel that he would recover; though he admits the possibility. Dr. Jefferson Church, of Springfield, (a warm friend of Mr. Parleigh, with whom, I had interview yesterday, and gave ^{him} as good a statement of the case as I could; said he thought Mr. P. would live through it. He thought he might not have much, if any, inflammation.

Before I left Northampton, this morning, I found a Florence man who told me, Mr. P. was, this morning, about the same as yesterday.

Yours Truly,
Jeth Hunt.

Wm. Lloyd Garrison.